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Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

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December 28, 1976

Reverend Charles A. Malotte
Christian Church
3126 Los Feliz Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90039

Dear Reverend Malotte:

I am pleased to reply to your letter of November 23 concerning the detention of Claudia Ines Peiro, an Argentine citizen.

On December 1 our Embassy in Buenos Aires informed the Department that it had no information concerning Miss Peiro. The Embassy also reported that it had advised the Human Rights Working Group of the Argentine Ministry of Foreign Affairs of American public and Congressional interest in this case.

Since Miss Peiro is an Argentine national, you may wish to write to the Argentine Embassy, 1600 New Hampshire Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20009.

I hope this information will be helpful to you.

Sincerely yours,

Fernando E. Rondon
Alternate Director
East Coast Affairs